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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of section 3 of the Sikkim Anti Drugs Act, 2006 (2 of 2006), the State Government hereby constitutes an authority to be known as 'Sikkim Anti Drugs Authority' consisting of the following members, namely:-

(1)	Chief Secretary, Government of Sikkim	-	Chairman
(2)	Additional Chief Secretary-cum-Principal Secretary, Finance, Revenue and Expenditure Department	-	Member
(3)	Principal Secretary-cum-Development Commissioner, Planning, Economic Reforms and North-East Council Affairs Department	-	Member
(4)	Principal Secretary, Home Department	-	Member
(5)	Director General of Police	-	Member
(6)	Principal Secretary, Social Justice and Empowerment Department	-	Member
(7)	Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Health Care, Human Services and Family Welfare Department	-	Member
(8)	Secretary, Human Resource Development Department	-	Member
(9)	Secretary, Urban Development and Housing Department	-	Member
(10)	Secretary, Law, Labour and Parliamentary Affairs Department	-	Member
(11)	Programme Officer appointed under sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Act	-	Member-Secretary

2. The powers and functions of the Authority shall be:-

(1) to coordinate action by various officers, departments and other authorities under the Act and any other law for the time being in force in connection with the implementation of the provisions of the Act.

(2) to coordinate actions taken by Department of Health Care, Human Services and Family Welfare, Department of Social Justice & Empowerment and other concerned departments, organizations and associations in respect of matters relating to drug abuse.

(3) to assist concerned authorities in neighboring and other States of the Union with a view to facilitating coordination and required action for prevention and suppression of illicit traffic in controlled substances.

3. The Authority shall meet biannually and will be chaired by the Chief Secretary, or in his absence, by an officer empowered by him to do so. In case of exigencies, the authority may meet anytime at the behest of the Chairman.

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